

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about October 16, 1945, by the Atlantic Coast Fisheries Co., from Cleveland, Ohio.

**PRODUCT:** 141 15-pound boxes of frozen whiting at Indianapolis, Ind.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Fresh Frozen Genuine Cape Cod Whiting."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. (Examination showed the presence of decomposed fish.)

**DISPOSITION:** September 11, 1947. Default decree of forfeiture and destruction.

**13629. Adulteration of frozen halibut and frozen lobster tails. U. S. v. Golden M & M, Inc., Jack Mandelbaum, Nathan Golden, and Morris Miller. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined \$150; sentence against individuals suspended. (F. D. C. No. 23327. Sample Nos. 63236-H, 63237-H, 63937-H, 65035-H.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** April 12, 1948, District of New Jersey, against Golden M & M, Inc., Newark, N. J., and Jack Mandelbaum, president, Nathan Golden, vice-president, and Morris Miller, secretary-treasurer.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about May 23 and July 19 and 24, 1946, from the State of New Jersey into the States of New York and Pennsylvania.

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the products consisted in part of decomposed substances, i. e., decomposed lobster tails and halibut.

**DISPOSITION:** May 28, 1948. Pleas of guilty having been entered on behalf of the defendants, the corporation was fined \$150; suspended sentences were given the individual defendants.

**13630. Adulteration of canned crab meat. U. S. v. Fred Whorton, Jr. (Whorton Bros. Fish & Oyster House). Plea of nolo contendere. Fine, \$200. (F. D. C. No. 24060. Sample Nos. 90370-H, 90371-H.)**

**INFORMATION FILED:** December 30, 1947, Eastern District of North Carolina, against Fred Whorton, Jr., trading as Whorton Bros. Fish & Oyster House, Oriental, N. C.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about August 26 and 27, 1947, from the State of North Carolina into the States of Pennsylvania and New York.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Whorton Brothers \* \* \* Claw Crab Meat."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance, as evidenced by the presence of fecal *Escherichia coli*; and, Section 402 (a) (4), it had been prepared and packed under unsanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

**DISPOSITION:** February 13, 1948. A plea of nolo contendere having been entered, the defendant was fined \$200.

**13631. Adulteration of canned crab meat. U. S. v. 300 Cases, etc. (F. D. C. No. 23454. Sample Nos. 85217-H, 85218-H.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** June 24, 1947, Eastern District of Virginia.

**ALLEGED SHIPMENT:** On or about February 10, 1947, by the Orleans Seafood Co., from New Orleans, La.

**PRODUCT:** Canned crab meat. 300 cases, each containing 24 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ -ounce cans, and 299 cases, each containing 24 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ -ounce cans, at Richmond, Va.

**LABEL, IN PART:** "Orleans Brand Claw Meat \* \* \* Orleans Seafood Co. \* \* \* Distributors" or "Southland Brand Claw Meat \* \* \* Southland Canning & Packing Co. Inc. Distributors New Orleans, La."

**NATURE OF CHARGE:** Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in whole or in part of a decomposed substance. (Examination showed the presence of decomposed crab meat.)

**DISPOSITION:** November 6, 1947. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

## FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

### CANNED FRUIT\*

**13632. Misbranding of canned blackberries. U. S. v. 349 Cases \* \* \*. (F. D. C. No. 23022. Sample No. 49500-H.)**

**LIBEL FILED:** May 9, 1947, Eastern District of Texas.

\*See also No. 13673.